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ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Election mailed on April 8, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.